

REMARKS

The Notice of Omitted Items states that Figure 9 and 10 appear to have been omitted from the application. These figures correspond to page 6 of the drawing pages. The specification makes reference to Figures 1 to 12.

In response, amendment of the specification has been made to cancel all references to drawings 9 and 10, original Figures 11 and 12 have been relabeled, and references to these figures corrected.. The following changes are made:

Par. 40. Deleted

Par. 41. Deleted

Par. 42. Correct reference to Figure 11 so that it corresponds to relabeled drawing Figure 9.

Par. 43. Correct reference to Figure 12 so that it corresponds to relabeled drawing Figure 10.

Par. 72. Deleted reference to Figure 9 and sentence reworded.

Par. 73. Deleted reference to Figure 10 and sentence reworded.

Par. 74. Deleted reference to Figure 9 and sentence reworded.

Par. 76. Correct reference to Figure 11 so that it corresponds to relabeled drawing Figure 9.

Par. 82. Correct reference to Figure 12 so that it corresponds to relabeled drawing Figure 10.

Drawings

Six replacement drawing sheets are presented, identified in the top margin as "Replacement Sheets", and the accompanying six pages show the proposed changes in red ink, identified in the top margin as "Annotated Marked-up Drawings".

On pages 1 to 6 the pages have been renumbered consecutively, and on page 6, Figure 11 has been relabeled as Figure 9 and Figure 12 has been relabeled as Figure 10.

CONCLUSION

Amendment of the Specification has been made to cancel all references to drawings 9 and 10, and the drawings have been relabeled, and changes made in the specification to correct references to relabeled drawings.

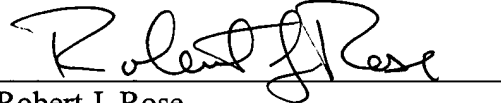
No fee is believed due in connection with this matter; however the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2090.

Respectfully submitted,
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Annotated Marked-up
Drawing

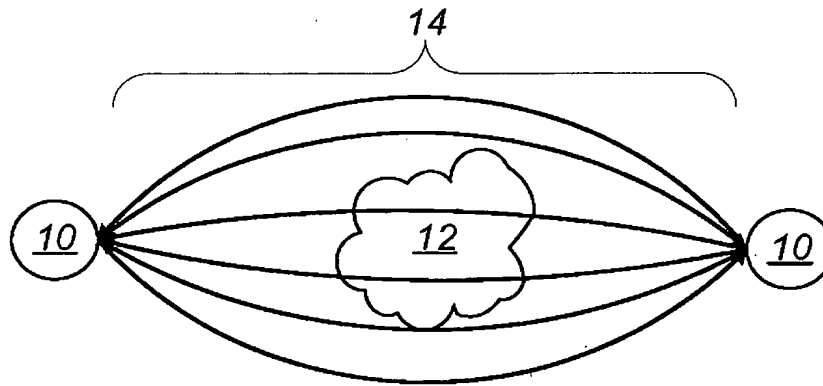


Fig. 1

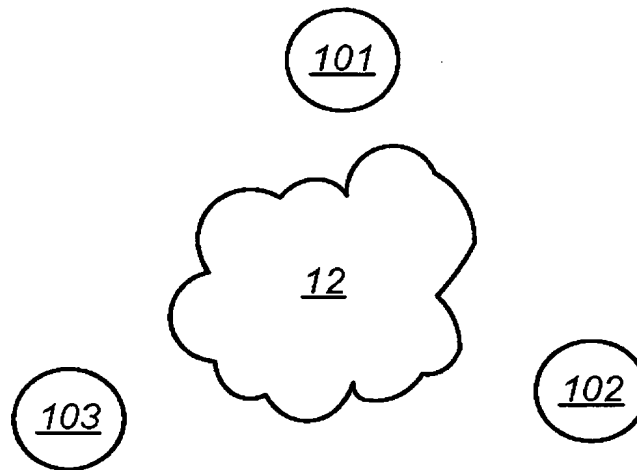


Fig. 2

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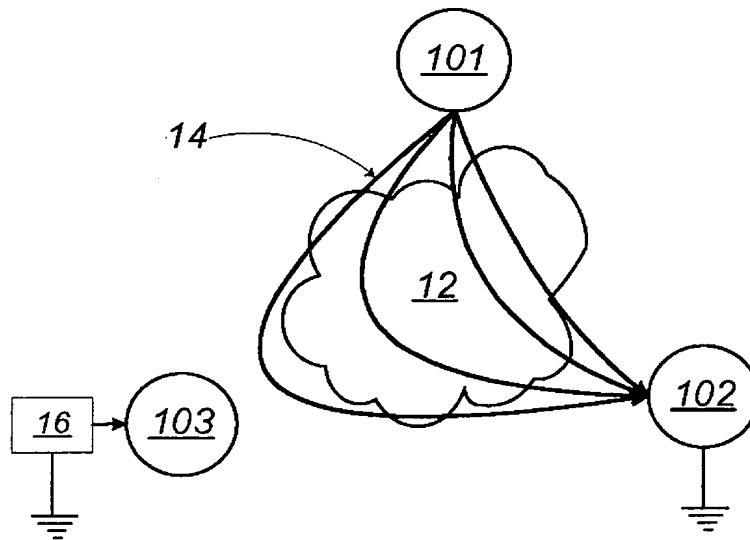


Fig. 3

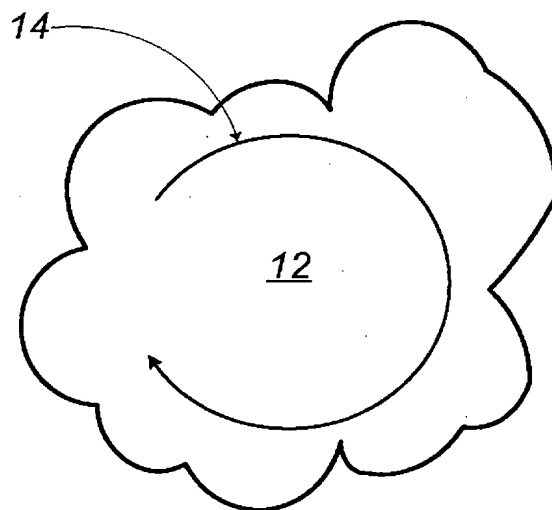


Fig. 4

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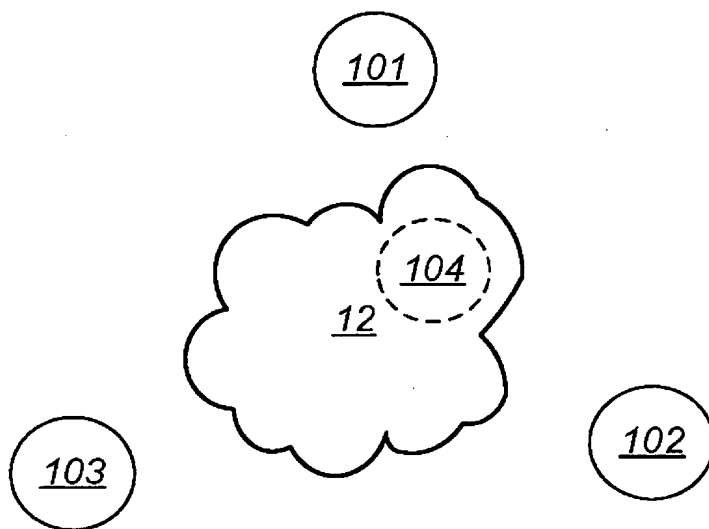


Fig. 5

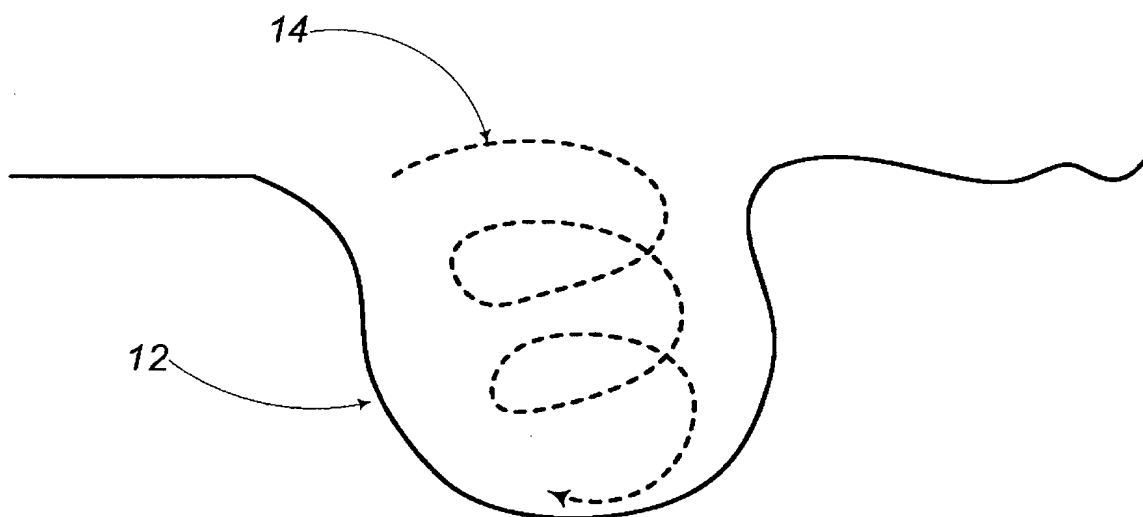


Fig. 6

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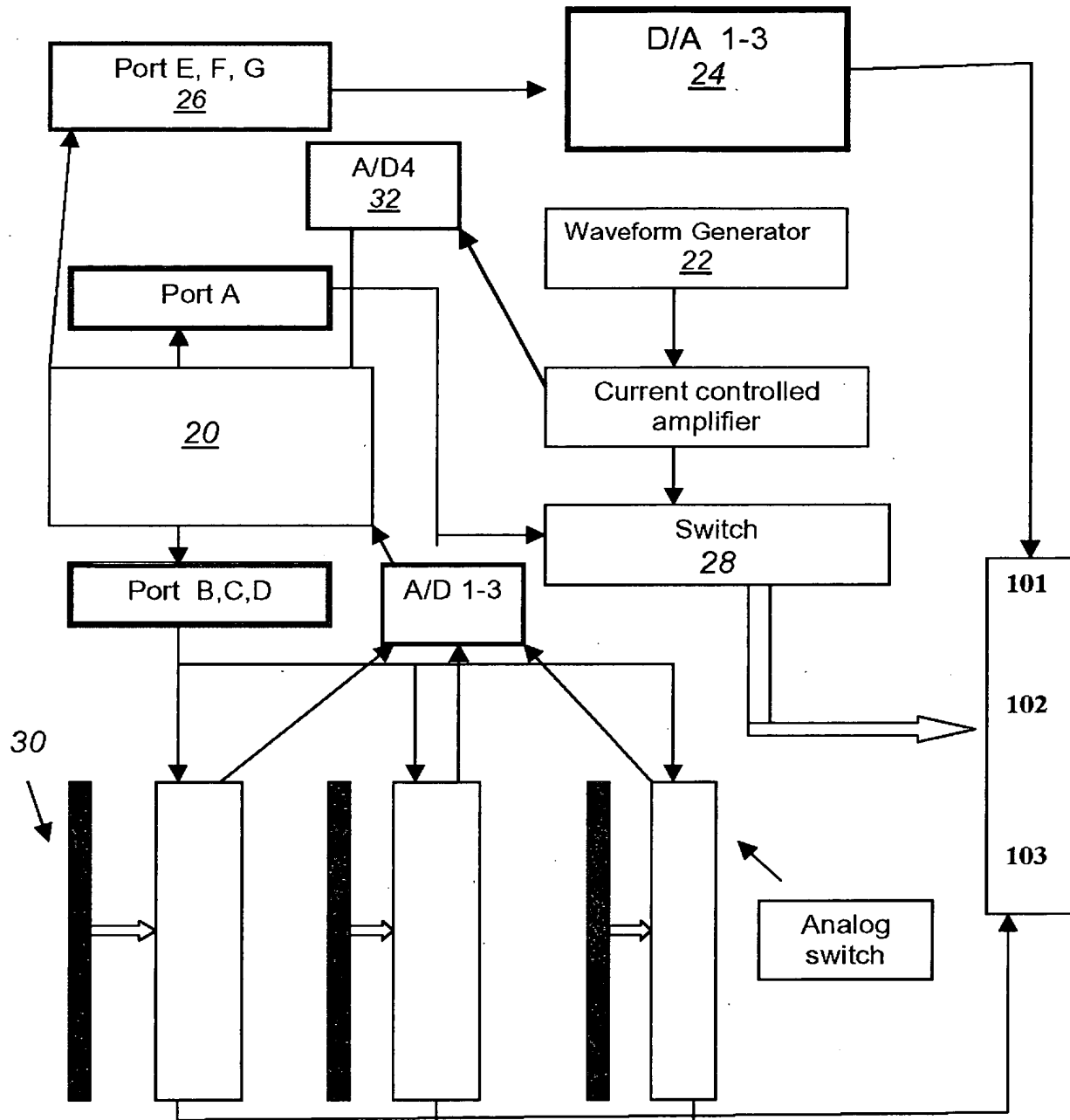


Fig. 7

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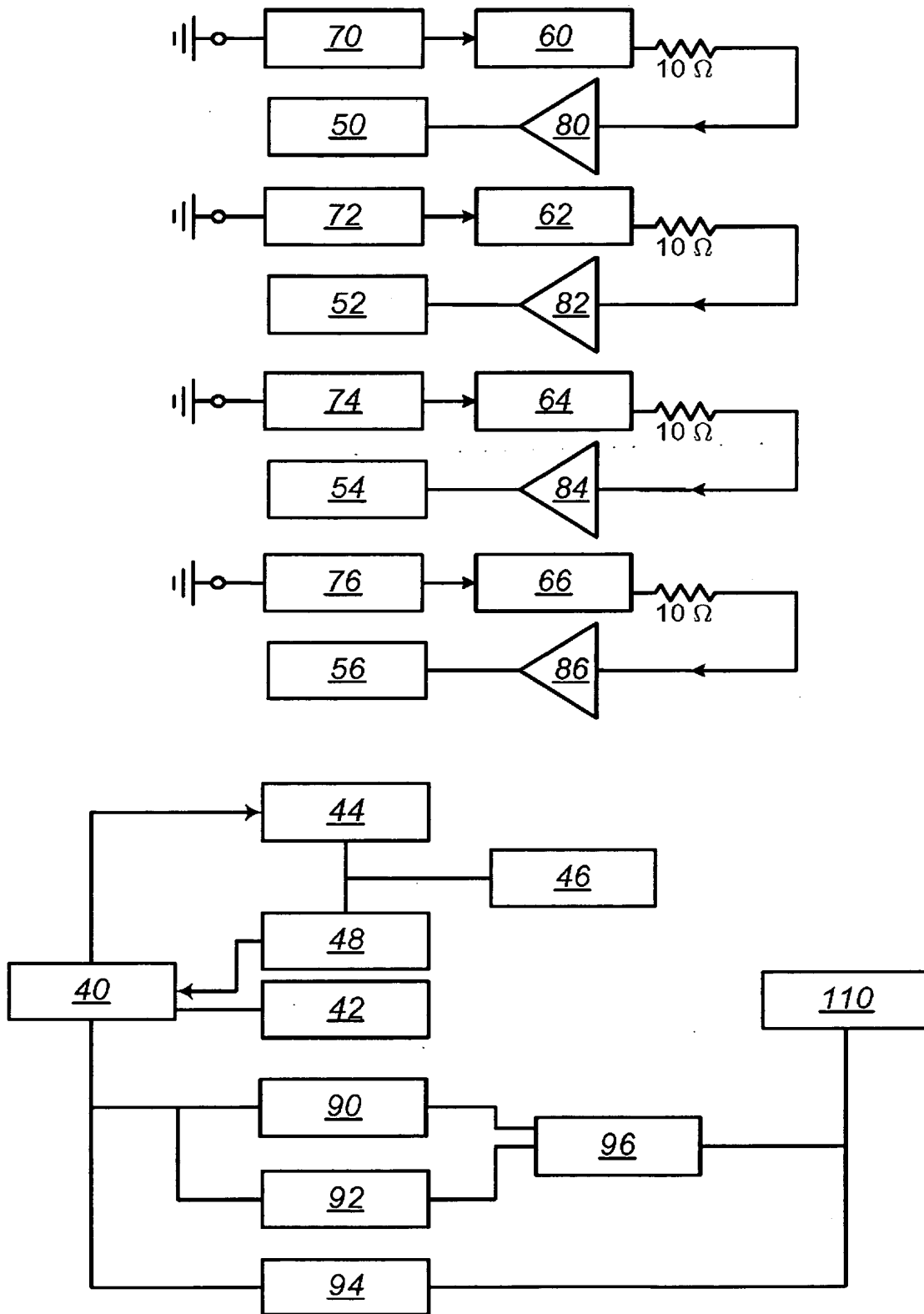


Fig. 8

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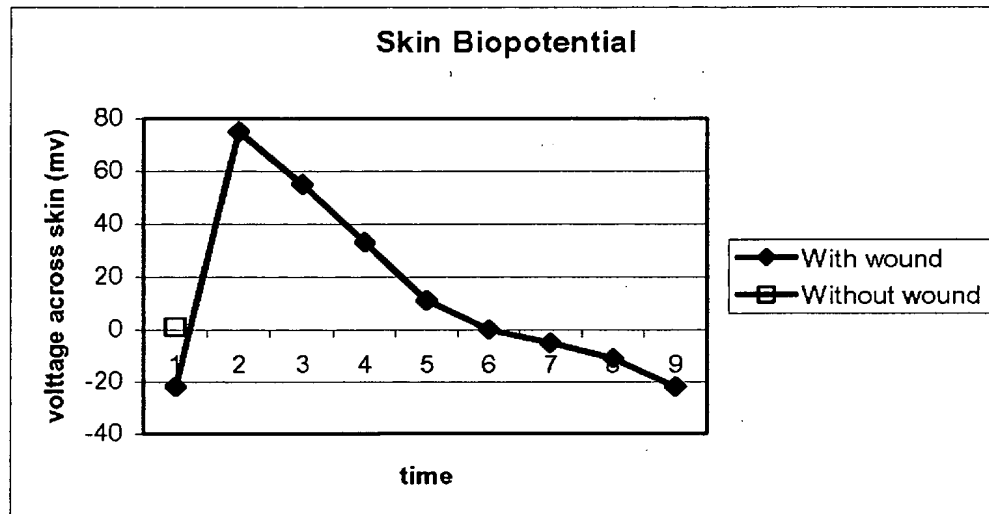


Fig. 11 9

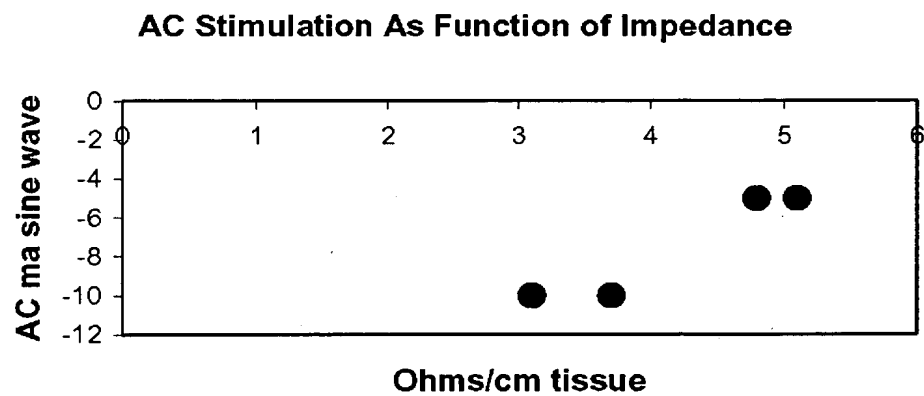


Fig. 12 10